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Dear Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application Under 37 CFR 1.53(f), which was mailed by the Office on September 26, 2001, enclosed are:

- (X) A Declaration and Power of Attorney.
- (X) Copy of Assignment.
- (X) An extension of time to respond for two months is hereby requested.

Time Extension Fee:

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| (X) | two months | (\$400 large entity) |
| (X) | A Notice to File Missing Parts. | |
| (X) | Return prepaid postcard. | |
| (X) | Fees as calculated below: | |

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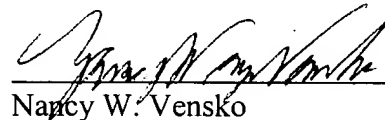
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FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (LARGE ENTITY)	two months	\$ 400
SURCHARGE 37 CFR 1.16(e)		\$ + 130
TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS		\$ 530
TOTAL FEES SUBMITTED HERewith		\$ 530

- (X) A check in the amount of \$530 to cover the above fees is enclosed.
- (X) The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, now or in the future, or credit any overpayment, to Account No. 11-1410.



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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 130.

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the reply.*

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